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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:  STERLING SMITH  Serial No.: 10/615,845  Filed: JULY 10, 2003  For: DIGITAL SPREAD SPECTRUM FREQUENCY SYNTHESIZER	Art Unit: 2611  Examiner: VLAHOS, SOPHIA
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**AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on September 6, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

No extension of time or other fees are believed to be due, except as detailed in the attached documents. However, any extension of time necessary to prevent abandonment is hereby requested, and any fee necessary for consideration of this response is hereby authorized to be charged to Deposit Account Number 50-2613.

**Amendments to the Specification:** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims:** reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings:** None

**Remarks:** begin on page 8 of this paper.